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Sir:

A copy of the Official Filing Receipt has not been received by the undersigned in the subject application. Accordingly, issuance of the same is respectfully requested. A copy of the Declaration filed in the parent application, the utility patent application transmittal and the return post card for the application are included herewith.

Since the application has been allowed, this matter is somewhat urgent.

Respectfully submitted,

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